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1. UN REP HENRY MEYER, RECENTLY ARRIVED IN BOLIVIA, IN
INFORMAL DISCUSSION WITH MINATT MENTIONED THAT PREVIOUS
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PROJECT WHICH FEATURED CONSTRUCTION OF ASBESTOS PROCESSING PLANT NOW BEING HELD UP IN PRODUCTION BECAUSE OF FAILURE TO ADEQUATELY PROVE RESERVES. THUS THERE IS A NEED FOR EXPERT IN ASBESTOS MINING TO COME TO BOLIVIA TO DO FIELD WORK FOR ABOUT 12 MONTHS. ASBESTOS PLANT IS LOCATED BETWEEN COCHABAMBA AND CHAPARI REGION WHERE ASBESTOS DEPOSITS ARE WORKED BY PRIVATE MINERS. ALTHOUGH SEARCH FOR QUALIFIED PERSON IS HANDLED BY UNDP HEADQUARTERS, MEYER FEARS UNQUALIFIED PERSON MAY BE CHOSEN. HE FEELS BEST CHOICE IS AMERICAN, CANADIAN OR SOUTH AFRICAN.

2. MINATT WOULD APPRECIATE KNOWING IF DEPARTMENT OF INTERIOR AWARE OF ANY QUALIFIED US CANDIDATE WHOSE NAME COULD BE PASSED INFORMALLY TO UNDP REP MEYER.

3. MEYER HAS PREVIOUS LONG EXPERIENCE IN BOLIVIAN MINING SECTOR WITH AID, UN AND PRIVATE SECTOR AND IS WELL KNOWN TO USGS PERSONNEL, INCLUDING M. TSCHANTZ, USGS DENVER. STEDMAN UNQUOTE. SISCO

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